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WOOLLENS.

Grey Flannels, warranted all-wool	18c.	per yd.
White " " "	25	"
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Costume Cloths, new shades,	15	"
Ladies' All-wool Undervests,	90c.	each.
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Infants' wool-knit Street suits, $1.50 suit.
400 Ladies' Cashmere Jerseys, 60c. to $2.50 each.
An immense assortment of Woollens of all descriptions at 20% below cost—must be cleared.
500 pairs of Blankets at half price.

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Unbleached Muslin	from 4c.	per yard
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Do. bleached	26c.	"
Table Linen, unbleached	28c.	"
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GIFTS!

Every purchaser of Dry Goods to the amount of Five Dollars will be entitled to a chance in the following list of Gifts, which will be drawn for February 1st, and the winning numbers published in the Daily Papers.

One Gent's stem-winding Hunting-case Watch and chain	value	$120.00
One Lady's do. do.	"	60.00
One Silk Dress	"	25.00
One Lady's Ulster	"	12.00
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RUSSELL McDONALD & Co.
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A few Choice Satin Costumes,
Made specially for the present Season.

—A FULL ASSORTMENT OF STAPLES.—

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Albion House,
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Notice of Removal!

LEWIS HALL, D. D. S.,
-:- DENTIST, -:-
Wishes to notify the public that he
HAS REMOVED
From 76 Yates street to the Craft & Norris Block, Douglas street.
dec30-tt

Notice of Change of Proprietorship and Removal.

I have disposed of my Drug Business to WM. JACKSON, JR. & Co.
WM. JACKSON, M. R. C. S. E.,
Cor. Broad and Johnson sts.

The undersigned having succeeded to the above mentioned drug business beg to notify the public that they have removed to the Craft & Norris Block, Douglas Street, on or about Dec. 31st, 1888, where by a careful attention to business they hope to receive a fair share of patronage.
WM. JACKSON, JR. & CO.,
Dispensing Chemists and Druggists.
Offices to let up stairs. dec5-3mo

SCHOONERS!
For Sale or Charter.
Apply to J. D. WARREN,
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A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year.

We wish all our customers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and hope they will enjoy many of them in our beautiful City of Victoria, and continue to patronize the leading Clothing Store.

Gilmore & McCandless Johnson Street.

WANTS.

WANTED—A Nursemaid. Apply to Mrs. Hunter, 49 Bird Cage Walk. dec30

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WANTED—Room with board, by a young gentleman. James Bay preferred. Apply T. H. A., THIS OFFICE. dec19-3t

WANTED—A Servant Girl—in a family of three. Wages $15 per month. Apply to Mrs. Caton, Kingston st., James Bay. dec13-2w

WANTED!

Coat Makers. Vest Makers. Pant Makers.

First-class wages paid; steady work to good hands. Apply to D. J. LEVY, 61 Johnson street. dec25-1mo

NOTICES.

B. C. St. George's Society.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of the above Society will be held on Friday next, the 4th January, 1889, at 8 p. m.
By order, J. FELL, President.
dec29

THE ANNUAL BALL
—OF THE—
Saanich Agricultural Society,
Will take place on the 17th January, 1889, at the Hall, South Saanich.

Tickets, admitting gentleman and lady, $2.00.
dec30-td

NOTICE.

THE REGULAR QUARTERLY MEETING of the members of the B. C. Board of Trade will be held at the Offices of the Institution, on Friday next, the 4th of January, 1889, at 3 p. m.
W. MONTEITH, Secretary.
jan1-2t

B.C. BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF this Society will be held at the City Hall, Victoria, on Monday, 7th January, 1889, at 3 p. m.
JAMES FELL, President.
jan3

AND STILL WE

COME to greet you all. The Yearly Gems of British Columbia, which are now ready at Mrs. R. MAYNARD'S Studio, Douglas street. Ladies who have had their little one's Photographs taken at her Gallery during Jubilee Year, 1888, that have not received one of her annual Gems, can do so by calling at Studio, Douglas street.
Victoria, Dec. 31st, 1888. jan1-1mo

The Perry Creek Gold Mining Company,
(LIMITED LIABILITY.)

December Assessment, Due Jan. 17, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 17th December, 1888, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 17th January, 1889, to the Secretary of the company at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 19th January, 1889, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 29th January, 1889, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
HENRY JACOBY,
The Company's Office, Secretary.
Government St., Victoria. nov10-5t-1w

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

BETWEEN
JOHN CAMERON, Plaintiff.
AND
THADDEUS HARPER, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost and Henry S. Mason to be Receivers of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with them as such Receivers.
JAMES C. PREVOST.
Dated, HENRY S. MASON.
Victoria, Dec. 20, 1888. dec21

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Cut and Split in lengths to suit.

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In any quantity, at the
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WANTED—A steady, reliable boy, to deliver papers in the morning. Apply at this office, or to F. J. Hall, 43 North Park st. jan5

WANTED—by a young man (29), a position of trust in town or country. Ten years Colonial experience, four years in London office. First-rate testimonials. Apply "A. B.," this office. jan5-6t

ADVERTISER, with small capital, is wishing to become a partner in some well-established business house in the city. Address K. F., Box 284, City. jan5-1w

PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINTER WANTED—lady preferred. Apply to JONES BROS., The New Photo Studio, Douglas street, Victoria, B. C. jan5-6t

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Mining Engineer,
80 HENRY STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

Information and advice as to the opening up and development of mines, and the reduction of ores.
Estimates of cost of Mining machinery, Reduction works etc. jan5

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January 4th and 5th, 1889.

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The World-Renowned Violinist.

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THE COMMANDER & OFFICERS OF "C" BATTERY.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:
Parquette and Stalls, $1.00; First two rows in Dress Circle, $1.00; Dress Circle, unreserved, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents.

In connection with the above Concert, the Management of the E. and N. Railway have kindly arranged to issue tickets, available from Friday to Sunday, inclusive, at half the usual rate. jan1

STEAMER ISABEL,

F. REVELY, MASTER,
Will Leave on Monday, 7th January, 1889.

Calling at Saanich, Cowichan, Vesuvius Bay, Nanaimo, Departure Bay, Englishman's River, Union Mine Wharf and Comox.

For Freight and Passage, apply on board, at Janion's Wharf. jan4

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BUILDERS.

Dempster, Beek & Co.

Have leased the new Brick Factory,
CORNER BROUGHTON & GORDON STREETS,
And are now prepared to undertake
Carriage and Wagon Building
IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,
As well as
Repairing, Painting, Trimming, and General Blacksmithing.
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The National Tramway and Lighting Co., L'd.

The Stock book of this Company is open at the office of the undersigned, Government st., near the Telegraph Office, where subscription for stock will be received. Due notice of allotment of shares will be given.
jan4-1w J. D. WARREN.

JOHN BOYD,
(Wholesale and Retail.)
Has just landed, ex "Brier Holme," the Finest Scotch Whiskies ever imported from Scotland. Connoisseurs whose health requires the most perfect qualities of Whisky will do well to give them a trial. In stock, Dantzic Spruce Beer, and Teas of a very superior quality.
jan27-12mo 45 to 47 YATES STREET.

DR. DUNCAN
Has Removed his Office

From Theatre Block, Douglas street, to the building on Fort street lately occupied by Dr. McSwain and the late Dr. Dearden.

Office hours from 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. jan4-6t

AMERICAN NEWS.

The Pastors' Union of Ohio Ask President Harrison to Forego the Inaugural Ball.

The United States to Bring a Lawsuit Against the Northern Pacific Involving Millions.

After a Suspension of Several Weeks Pennsylvania Collieries Resume Work---Skating Accident.

A Law Suit Involving Millions.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—A *Herald* special from St. Paul says: One of the most important cases that has been filed in the United States district court for many years, was recorded last night. The United States has commenced an action against the Northern Pacific Railway Company, which involves millions of dollars. It is charged that ever since the road has been built, about 1869, it has been trespassing upon government land, along the railroad line, denuding government timber lands and causing irremediable loss and damage to the government and its constituents. These encroachments were made upon lands and timber domain in various parts of Idaho, Washington Territory, Montana and Minnesota. The suit promises to be a prominent one in the history of great government cases. Great importance is not merely in the amount involved, but lies in the interest to States at large in having so much of the timbered domain divested of that for which it was chiefly valued.

To Clear Out the Town.

GEORGETOWN, Ohio, Jan. 4.—At Higginsport last night, Gus Spiers, a notorious tough, undertook to clear out the town. Marshal Hal. T. Hill tried to arrest him and a general fight ensued, in which Spiers was shot in the abdomen. He died this morning. Geo. Hayden and "Peggy" Myers, two Kentuckians, were fatally stabbed.

Murder and Attempted Suicide.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Geo. Dillon, a stonemason, aged 38, this evening shot and killed Lottie Lyons, aged 36, at her apartments. The murderer then shot himself in the head, but it is believed he will recover. The couple had formerly lived together, but had quarrelled and separated.

The Seal Fisheries.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—In the senate yesterday Hoar introduced a resolution, which was adopted, asking the President to transmit to congress any correspondence that may have been had with Great Britain concerning the seal fisheries in or near Behring's Straits, especially as to the seizure of any vessels of the United States or any other country, and what regulations governing the fisheries had been adopted by this government.

Assigned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—S. B. Paige & Co. commission dealers in safes, locks, emery wheels and copying presses, filed a petition in insolvency to-day. Liabilities, $33,940; assets not yet known.

A Bookseller Assigns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—John H. Phelan, bookseller and stationer, assigned to-day. Liabilities, $10,000; assets, about $5,000.

New Coasting Steamer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—The new steamer Corona, built at Philadelphia for the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., at a cost of $225,000, and which will ply between here and Los Angeles, will arrive to-morrow.

Utah's Claim for Statehood.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Mr. Edmunds presented to the senate to-day a petition of the Women's Life Corps, J. B. McLean Post No. 1., of Salt Lake, remonstrating against the admittance of Utah as a state. In offering it Mr. Edmunds remarked that he was happy to say that there was not much danger of Utah being admitted at this session of Congress.

By Direct Vote of the People.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Mr. Springer of Illinois has introduced in the house a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution. It provides for the election of president and vice-president by direct vote of the people, and for a term of six years. It makes the president ineligible for a second term, and extends the term of members of congress to three years, the term to expire December 31st. It also provides that each session of congress shall be in the first Wednesday of January in each year.

Fire in a Drug Store.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 3.—A fire this morning in the New York dry goods store, on 15th street, this city, caused damage to stock and buildings amounting to about $70,000.

Object to Reduced Wages.

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 3.—Coal dock laborers here and at West Superior have struck against a reduction of from $2 to $1.75 a day. On Monday a few struck and their wages were restored, but later another reduction was attempted and now there are 300 men out.

Fatal Drunken Quarrel.

PASCO ROBLES, Cal., Jan. 3.—A young man named Eugene Cook was shot and instantly killed at Templeton, six miles south of here, in a saloon, by a bartender named Boling, to-day. Cook was quarrelsome and drunk.

Probably Gone to Canada.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 4.—Assistant business manager Henry Andrea, of the Brooklyn *Zeitung*, is missing with a large amount of money. The amount of his stealings is believed to be about $10,000.

A Crockery Break.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 4.—The crockery firm of John W. Walrath assigned to-day. Assets, $40,000; liabilities, about $50,000.

On What Grounds?

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 4.—The pastors' union of this city are preparing a memorial that will be forwarded to President elect Harrison, protesting against the inaugural ball, and asking that he use his influence to have the custom set aside this year. The document will be taken to Indianapolis and laid before General Harrison by a committee of Clergymen.

Drowned While Skating.

SOUTH FARMINGHAM, Mass., Jan. 4.—Two boys broke through the ice on Gleason's pond while skating to-day, as did several others who came to their assistance; and three, Charles and Fred. St. Peters and Johnny Ryan, were drowned. They were between ten and fifteen years of age.

The Planned Knight to Visit Gen. Harrison.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Mr. Blaine, who arrived in Washington to-day, says he will leave for Indianapolis in a few days to call on Gen. Harrison.

Pennsylvania Collieries.

ASALAND, Pa., Jan. 4.—The collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., in this vicinity, are resuming after a suspension of several weeks. The Merrian and Baltimore collieries were the first to start up. The rate of wages has been fixed at three per cent. above the $2.50 basis.

SCENE IN CHURCH.

A Jewish Pastor's Assertions Anger His Congregation.

OMAHA, Jan. 3.—Rev. Mr. Alexander, pastor of the orthodox Jewish church, this morning surprised his audience by declaring that Christ was never crucified. The congregation advanced upon the preacher, who escaped through a side door. A general fight was imminent, when the police arrived and made two arrests.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Another Pill for the C. P. R. in the Crossings Case.

Permission Granted the B. C Government to Import Mining Machinery Free of Duty—Surplus of Revenue Over Expenditure of $4,250,000 for the First Six Months of the Fiscal Year.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—An order-in-council has been passed granting permission to the British Columbia Government to import mining machinery free of duty for the purpose of the establishment by the Government of a reduction works to test ores in the mineral districts of British Columbia. This privilege does not apply to private companies, only to the Government.

The Canadian Pacific is being urged by the Government to complete the selection of the land granted them under the subsidy. Out of eighteen and a quarter million acres, ten million acres are yet to be selected.

The surplus of revenue over expenditure for the first six months of the fiscal year, was four millions and a quarter.

The Canadian Pacific received another pill to-day when the railway committe decided to grant the application of the Red River Valley Road to cross by the company's tracks under the customary regulations. The committee refused the Canadian Pacific's application for rental, but gave them the right of way customary to senior roads. In regard to the application of the Northern Pacific and Manitoba Railway to cross the Canadian Pacific at Morris, counsel for the latter road took the objection that the Provincial Legislature had no right to charter a road running te the international boundary, and asked for a reference to the supreme court. A decision was deferred.

PERSONAL.

John G. Glover, of Hudson, Wis, is in the city.

J. P. Harvey, of Minneapolis, is at the Clarence.

M. Ireland returned from the north on Thursday.

Leo. J. Stock, of San Francisco, is at the Driard.

F. Ferramorse, of Portland, Oregon, is at the Driard.

G. M. Bovill has taken up his home in Westminster.

Theo. Davie and wife are passengers on board the steamship Mexico.

H. M. Stramberg arrived from Westminster on the Louise yesterday.

The Misses Storey returned last evening from a visit to the mainland.

G. Ford, and J. H. and Mrs. Compton, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

Prof. Heine, and the members of his company are guests at the Clarence.

Hon. Forbes Geo. Vernon returned to the city from the mainland last evening.

M. W. Waitt went over to Seattle yesterday to visit his brother, who is seriously ill.

Wm. Wilson (of the firm of W. & J. Wilson), returned from Nicola last evening.

F. G. Verity, secretary of the Hamilton Powder Company, Montreal, is at the Driard.

W. Gordon, W. J. Goepel, J. Holland and F. Redman were amongst the arrivals last evening.

John Fee will leave to-day on an extended tour through California and the eastern and southern states.

Mrs. Austin, the famous "Betsey B.," of the *Argonaut*, died at San Francisco of kidney troubles on New Year's day.

Alex. McCandless, of Gilmore & McCandless, leaves to-day on a two weeks' pleasure trip to Southern California.

Mrs. W. H. Ellis and Miss Withrow, who have been spending the holidays at Westminster, returned by the Islander last evening.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

The wife of G. T. Demain, a laborer, of Deloraine, Man., dropped dead yesterday while sitting on a chair knitting.

Voting on the repeal of the Dunkin Act in Essex Centre, Ont., took place on Thursday, the repeal being carried by ten majority.

Miss Mary A. McKenna, of Bathurst, N.B., after receiving communion in the Catholic Church on Thursday, expired suddenly.

A Toronto despatch says the Methodist Church has decided to expend $6,500 in purchasing property at Vancouver and Victoria for the extension of their church missions in British Columbia.

The inquest at Toronto touching the death of Lydia Charlton, the victim of malpractice, was concluded with a verdict that Dr. Valentine and Joseph Wood were accessories to the death of the girl.

During a mayoralty mass meeting at Port Arthur, the Odd Fellows who were meeting over the hall, stamped on the floor in applause. The people in the mass meeting thought the roof was falling in, and a regular panic ensued, many people being injured.

New Idea.

G. W. Bigger has opened a first-class fruit and confectionery and ladies and gents' lunch parlor. The best cup of tea or coffee in Victoria for 5c., with sandwich, cake or pie for 10c. All other goods correspondingly low. 86 Government street, three doors from post office. *tf

Gloves, in all styles, are to be had at the Lansdowne House, Yates street. New stock just to hand. tf

CABLE NEWS.

Sir R. D. Morier Charged with Having Revealed German State Secrets to the French.

Count Herbert Bismarck Censured by the English Press for His Action in the Matter.

More Exciting Scenes at the Donegal Evictions---Lord Salisbury on England's Defence.

Raking Over the Ashes of the Franco-Prussian War.

BERLIN, Jan. 4.—Sir R. D. Morier has caused to be published his correspondence with Herbert Bismarck in reference to charges made by the *Cologne Gazette* that he revealed German state secrets to the French, at the time of the Franco-German war. The correspondence shows that Morier wrote to Marshal Bazaine inquiring whether he had ever made the charge in conversation as alleged by the *Gazette* to the effect that the first news of the Germans crossing the Moselle was conveyed to him by Morier. Bazaine replied with an emphatic denial, which was sent to Herbert Bismarck with an appeal that he, as a man of honor, would cause an immediate refutation of the charge to be inserted in the *Gazette*. Count Herbert, in his reply, regretted that neither the contents nor the tone of the communication enabled him to comply with such astonishing demands and outstep the limits imposed by his official position in regard to the press. Sir Robert responded that the only course now open to him was to publish the entire correspondence. He added that while he did not share the belief, yet the belief was general that the contributor of the article to the *Gazette* derived his inspiration from official sources.

Count Herbert Bismarck Blamed.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says it regrets that Count Herbert Bismarck did not profit by the chance that Sir Robert Morier gave him to behave like a gentleman and a man of honor. It is sorry his subterfuge discredits the name he bears. "Emperor William," says the *Gazette*, "cannot desire that his father's friend should be insulted by Prince Bismarck's son. It trusts the Emperor will offer such apologies as are necessary to satisfy the sense of honor of the grandson of the most chivalrous gentleman who ever lived.

The *Globe* says Count Herbert Bismarck's retort was as rude a one as ever one statesman made to another. He probably desired to emulate the example of Mr. Bayard, but his imitation was clumsy and without motive. He is either a statesman lacking the necessary manners to apologize for allowing himself to be egregiously befooled, or his credulity is deliberate. He secretly approves of the rumor he started and finds enjoyment in the insult at the expense of anybody who is known to have been Emperor Frederick's friend. Sir Robert Morier may safely remain silent under such attacks in future." The *Star* says: "Every Englishman will unhesitatingly acquit Sir Robert Morier of the charge against him, which has caused him to be subjected to absurd and odious insult. Prince Bismarck," it says, "is incensed because the publication of Emperor Frederick's diary robbed him of his glory and he is resolved to convince Germany that Emperor Frederick divulged information to Germany's enemies, which was used to her detriment."

Defence of England's Ports.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Lord Salisbury was to-day waited on by a deputation, headed by Lord Armstrong, who called to urge the adoption by the government of a comprehensive scheme for the defence of England's mercantile ports. The premier said he heartily sympathized with the anxiety of the deputation, whose request he thought justified by the circumstances of the day. The enormous offensive powers of foreign countries might be concentrated against England, although such an event was quite unlikely, yet the deputation must not be blind to the fact that the ministers are not absolutely permanent. While not taking a gloomy view of the future, he said we must not fail to take the necessary precautions for defence. The responsibility for defence rested with the government, but it was the duty of the nation to bear a share of the cost. He would not now discuss the question how far the government conld safely limit the expenditures for defences, but he promised to present the views of the deputation to his colleagues. The speech undoubtedly foreshadows the presentation of an elaborate and extensive military and naval programme to parliament at its next session.

T. P. O'Connor on Irish Matters.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—T. P. O'Connor's *Star* expresses the opinion in its issue of to-day that the present situation in Ireland is more serious than at any other time since the passage of the Land Act in 1881. "It is quite evident from the recent report made by the Irish land commission," the *Star* says, "that Irish matters have taken an entirely new phase. The old land commission has disappeared, and, instead, we have a body in which tory land agent reigns supreme, declaring in favor of a produce rent, *i. e.*, a rent based on the price of produce, pure and simple, without slightest regard to yield. Thus tenants are hopelessly deceived, and will probably now strike against paying judicial rents.

The Morier Affair.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The *Standard* this morning, commenting upon the Morier affair says: "We can say little for the discretion of Morier, and still less for the sense of honorable obligation entertained by Count Herbert Bismarck. There is some excuse for the former, but next to none for the latter. Impartial judges, both English and German, will believe that Count Herbert made the manner of Morier's demand a pretext for declining to make amends."

New Honors.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Queen Victoria will shortly confer the order of the garter upon Prince Henry of Prussia, Emperor William's brother.

Transferred to Tullamore.

DUBLIN, Jan. 4.—Edward Harrington, M. P., editor of the Kerry *Sentinel*, recently sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labor for publishing reports with regard to the suppressed branch of the national league, was to-day transferred from Tralee jail to Tullamore. He is suffering from a cold. Harrington was heartily cheered by the crowds assembled to witness his departure.

The Donegal Evictions.

DUBLIN, Jan. 4.—The work of evicting tenants was resumed to-day at Falcanagh, county Donegal. The evictors found the house of a man named Doogan barricaded and defended by a score of men armed with rifles and entrenched behind the walls of the house. Loopholes had been made in the walls from which the beseiged could fire upon the soldiers. The men inside the house refused to surrender, even when the priests added their entreaties to the commands of the magistrate. Accordingly the riot act was read, and the soldiers made ready to fire upon the house, when the magistrate stopped them and granted the defenders of the place an hour for reflection. Finally, Doogan agreed to abandon the use of the rifles if the soldiers would not shoot, but would not surrender. Then the bailiffs and police made an attack upon the house and a desperate struggle ensued. After the attacking party had been repulsed several times, the priests persuaded Doogan to surrender, and he and his men were taken into custody. During the fight an inspector was badly wounded.

Lively Times in Ireland.

DUBLIN, Jan. 4.—During the prosecution of some prisoners under the Crimes Act at Naas, County Kildare, to-day, Hurley, the prisoners' solicitor, shouted that the conduct of the magistrate on the bench, Fitzgerald, was scandalous, whereupon Mr. Hurley was sentenced to seven days' in jail for contempt of court. Great excitement prevailed during the scene. At Ballyneely, County Limerick, to-day, Solicitor Moran was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, and Commoner Finucane and others to one month in jail each for conspiring to prevent retaining of farms from which tenants had been evicted.

O'Brien Summoned.

DUBLIN, Jan. 4.—Two summonses were served upon Wm. O'Brien to-day for conspiracy to induce non-payment of rents.

The Australian Explorer.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 4.—Carl Lamboltz, Australian explorer and writer, has sailed for New York. He will deliver lectures while in America.

Major Deine.

BERLIN, Jan. 4.—Major Deine, who said that Bazaine told him that Morier furnished the information about the troops, besides being German military attache at Vienna, is a personal *aide-de-camp* of Emperor William.

King Milan Going to Riviera.

BELGRADE, Jan. 4.—King Milan and the Crown Prince will shortly go to Riviera and stay some time. The Servian Cabinet will be appointed upon the King's return. M. Petronleveurs has been appointed Servian Minister to Austria.

A Valuable Property.

GLASGOW, Jan. 4.—Sir Wm. Pearce, conservative member of parliament for Govan, district of Lanark, who died recently, leaves a property valued at a million and a quarter pounds sterling, to be divided between his son and widow.

The Terrors of a Russian Winter.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan 4.—Extreme cold prevails. In Ekaterinburg, a district of South-East Russia, it is estimated that 175 persons have been frozen to death. The Black, Caspian and Azov seas are frozen over. Railway disasters on account of cold and snow are reported at Baku and other places through the caucasus.

Earthquake Fatalities.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 4.—Many persons have been killed and a large number of buildings destroyed by an earthquake in Russian-Turkistan, extending from Khogena to Kastakos.

Perished in the Snow.

VIENNA, Jan. 4.—A train on the Trans-Caucasian railroad became blocked in the snow at Sabuntschi near Tiflis to-day. Fourteen passengers perished and twenty were injured. A relief party became lost in the snow and were frozen to death.

Lieut. Wiseman Resigns.

BERLIN, Jan. 4.—It is now definitely announced that Lieut. Wissman has resigned from the Emin Bey relief expedition. He will hereafter be solely employed by the government to organize colonial troops in the German East African colonies.

Increasing the Civil List.

BERLIN, Jan. 4.—The Landtag will be asked to consider a bill increasing the civil list by three million marks.

Drowned by Floods.

ROME, Jan. 4.—Twelve persons have been drowned by floods, which are now extending to Bastia.

Boulanger's Manifesto Derided.

PARIS, Jan. 4.—Republican journals deride Gen. Boulanger's manifesto to the electors of the department of the Seine as unworthy of serious discussion. The *Gaulois* says that the conservatives intend to vote for him. A congress of republicans opposed to Boulanger will meet on Sunday to select a candidate to contest the election in the department of the Seine.

WESTMINSTER NEWS.

The River Steamers Again Running at Chilliwhack

And Work of Improvement on the River and at the Sand Heads to be Resumed Owing to Mildness of the Weather—Output of the Royal City Planing Mills and the Brunette Sawmill for 1888—The Teachers' Institute.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

WESTMINSTER, Jan. 4.—The total output of the Royal City Planing Mills Co., for the year just closed amounts to 22,000,000 feet of lumber, 5,000,000 feet of mouldings, 6,000,000 laths and pickets, 7,500,000 shingles, 25,000 windows and 15,000 doors. Total value $750,000. The output of the Brunette Sawmill Co. is about one-third of the above.

The members of the Westminster teachers' institute gave an entertainment to-night in Oddfellows' Hall. Addresses by Supt. Pope and several clergymen, interspersed by instrumental and vocal music, completed a splendid programme which will be a fitting finale to the successful meeting.

The work of improvement of Fraser river and the sand heads will be proceeded with vigorously, owing to the moderation in the weather. The work was stopped last week on the reported closing of the river by ice at Langley.

The river steamers are again running to Chilliwack, having missed but one trip this season.

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EMPLOYER AND EMPLOYE.

The present unfortunate difficulty at the Wellington mines will no doubt set people thinking and talking about the relations that ought to exist between the workingmen and their employers. A great deal of foolish talk about capital and labor is indulged in by unthinking people and much that is not only foolish but mischievous by scheming agitators, who imagine that they have something to gain by creating jealousy and discord between the two classes. There is no reason why there should be hard feeling between the men who employ labor and the men who labor. They are necessary to each other, and the interests of both would be promoted by their mutually cultivating a spirit of fairness and friendliness. One class has what the other wants, and there is no greater reason why they should regard each other with distrust and suspicion than that there should be unfriendliness between any other classes who have dealings with each other in the community. The laborer has a commodity to sell—his work; the employer wants to buy that commodity. It is necessary that both parties when they come to deal should be perfectly free. The workman should be at liberty to dispose of his labor to the best advantage, and the employer should be free to make as good a bargain as he can. The workman should be free to work or not, as he sees fit, and the employer should be free from dictation as to what men he shall employ and what wages he shall give. This is the rule between all other classes of dealers. The grocer cannot compel any one to take his goods at any price he may choose to ask, nor can the man who wants groceries force the grocer to take for his commodities whatever it may suit him to offer. Both grocer and consumer are left to make the best bargain they can. If they cannot agree there is no harm done. And so it is with all other classes of dealers. The man who has his labor and his skill to dispose of is in the same position. He can ask what he likes for his labor, and he can work or be idle as it pleases him. Of course the law requires him to keep any bargain he makes, but outside of the engagements he enters into of his own free will he is as free as air. And it is right that he should be so. No man should have the power to compel his fellow man to work for him at any wages it may please him to give. The workingman is free to make rules for his own guidance and to enter into combinations with his fellow workingmen to further their common interests.

But if the workingman has his rights, so has the employer, and the workingman has no better claim to infringe upon the employer's rights than the employer to deprive him of his. One of the undoubted rights of the employer is, to conduct his business in the way that he believes is best for his own interests. His workmen have no more right to dictate to him what he shall do or shall not do than he has to meddle in the workingmen's private affairs. This respect for each other's rights is at the bottom of any arrangement that is made between the employer and the employed. As long as each keeps within his own right, matters will go on smoothly, but as soon as one encroaches on the rights of the other trouble is sure to ensue. If the workman wants higher pay than he has been receiving, he has a right to ask it, but the employer is at perfect liberty to grant or to refuse his request. In the same way the employer if he is not satisfied with the conduct of the workman is at liberty to discharge him, and if the workman is not pleased with the conduct of the employer he has the power to leave his employ.

One would think that there would be no difficulty in obtaining from both classes a full and ready recognition of the liberty of each to do what he considers best for his own interests, and that the spirit of fairplay would prevent each from attempting to dictate to the other. But every day's experience shows us that there is scarcely anything more difficult than satisfactorily to adjust the relations between employers and workmen. Many men are not content with equal rights. Feeling that they have power, they are not satisfied unless they are permitted to use it for their own advantage without any regard to the rights of others. Unreasonable demands are being continually made, and slight misunderstandings are aggravated by persons interested in breeding strife, until they become serious quarrels, and are followed by consequences disastrous to all concerned. Unhappily, when feeling is once excited between an employer and his workmen moderate counsels are seldom listened to. The man among the workmen who advises his companions to keep cool and to try to settle the matter peaceably without proceeding to extremities, is reproached as wanting pluck and as not being true to his class. After one or two attempts to bring the men to reason, he gives up the attempt in despair and goes with the crowd. Hundreds of men are thus carried away against their better judgment. Excitable and impetuous men at the beginning of any labor movement have by far too much influence, an influence altogether disproportionate to their numbers and to their ability. This shows the necessity, as soon as any difficulty arises of giving capable and impartial men power to negotiate and settle. By far the greater number of disputes between employers and the workmen could be easily and quickly settled if they were at the beginning placed in the hands of arbitrators who would see justice done to both parties. These arbitrations have worked well in other countries, why could they not be effective here? The interests of the workingmen would be safe in the hands of arbitrators of their own selection. The hot-headed and scheming agitators can do nothing but mischief.

THE LOCK-OUT.

The *Times* notices the lock-out at the Wellington mines with the unfairness and the dishonesty which have unfortunately become its leading characteristics. It admits it knows nothing whatever about the grievances which have caused the miners to command Mr. Dunsmuir's attendance at Wellington on pain of suffering the loss and inconvenience consequent upon a strike, yet it continues in a peculiarly mean way to insinuate that Mr. Dunsmuir is in the wrong. It says: "We hope for Mr. Dunsmuir's good name future development will show that he was justified in refusing to treat with the men, and that what now appears a tyrannical exercise of power may be justified by facts as yet withheld from the public." The solicitude for Mr. Dunsmuir's good name expressed in this extract everyone knows to be the most transparent hypocrisy, for the principal object of the *Times* has for many a day been to filch from that gentleman his good name. To prefer an accusation under the guise of a "hope" that it is not true is an old trick of men who are willing to wound and yet afraid to strike. But the *Times* is not content with the condemnation of the man it has been for months so industrious in libelling and misrepresenting. It says further that Mr. Dunsmuir's refusal to meet his miners is "a bad feature of the lock-out." Our contemporary's disingenuousness deceives no one. It was bound to condemn Mr. Dunsmuir whether he is right or wrong and it has done so as far as it dare. The *Times* has not a word to say about the conduct of the miners. It does not blame these men in the mildest way for sending a peremptory message enforced by a threat to Mr. Dunsmuir. It says nothing about their not stating their grievances to the manager of the mines, That gentleman is Mr. Dunsmuir's representative there, and if they have any grievance to complain of he was on the spot to hear what they had to say, and to communicate, if necessary, with his principal. For some reason, best known to the editor and his inspirers, they, although wholly ignorant of the merits of the case, contrive to condemn Mr. Dunsmuir, while they give what encouragement they can to the men, who evidently expect Mr. Dunsmuir to be at their beck and call.

The men, and those who egged them on to the course they took, have no reason to complain. Mr. Dunsmuir took them at their word, or rather, he anticipated their decision. The miners' meeting resolved that if Mr. Dunsmuir did not go to Wellington and settle their grievances before Monday, the 7th, they would cease work on that day. Mr. Dunsmuir did not intend to obey that order. He knew of no grievances to settle, and he closed the mines at once. There was no tyranny in this. He sent them word where he was to be found and if they had any grievance that urgently required settlement they could have either stated their case to Mr. Bryden at the mines or sent a deputation to Victoria to confer with Mr. Dunsmuir. But they chose to do neither the one nor the other, yet the *Times* does its very best to convey the impression that Mr. Dunsmuir was in the wrong.

ELECTORAL CORRUPTION.

The result of the elections in the province of Quebec might easily have been foreseen. The Government of the day is always strong in that province. A very large proportion of the electors of Quebec dearly love to be on the winning side. The temptation of being represented by a member of the Government and the head of a department is too strong to be resisted by many of the counties, no matter what their previous condition as to party politics may have been. Megantic was before Col. Rhodes was sent to tempt it regarded as a sure seat for the Conservatives. It had at the last election sent a Conservative and an anti-Reillite to the provincial Assembly. But, Mr. Mercier knew its weakness and calculated upon it, and the result proves that he understood the true inwardness of the constituency. The Opposition papers say that money was freely used to procure the return of the Government candidate and that he held out the hope of Government favors to the country. This is probably true, but unhappily the use of money at elections is not confined to one province or one party in this Dominion. The results of the election trials show that neither party has much to reproach the other with in this respect. It is the old story of the pot calling the kettle black. The truth is that corruption at elections has become disgracefully common in Canada, and the time has come for honest men of all parties to set their faces against it, annd to try to have a law passed which will make it dangerous for any one, either principal or agent, to attempt to bribe a voter. The sentence passed upon Mr. James McShane was a righteous one, and there are many such as he in the different provinces. The example that has been made of him may have a deterrent effect. But impunity has made many electioneering workers bold. They do their bad and demoralizing work with hardly an attempt at concealment. It is high time for the credit of Canada that a stop was put to this bribery business. It is disheartening so see the newspapers after each election reproach their several opponents with using unlawful means to secure the return of the successful candidate. And the worst of it is that there is by far too much truth in the greater number of the accusations. A rigid law rigidly enforced has put an end to corrupt practices at elections in Great Britain, and a similar law carried out in the same way would have a like effect in Canada. If the electioneering agent in Megantic knew that if he was found out in trying to bribe an elector he would be sure of being punished by a term in the penitentiary, he would most likely refuse to run the risk. We believe that if elections were honestly conducted it would make little or no difference in the relative strength of parties in Parliament. But, no matter what the result might be, men who have any regard for the good name of Canada and for the purity of its representation, should do their utmost to have our election laws so amended that eclectoral corruption would be almost, if not altogether impossible.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

ACCORDING to the report of Mr. David T. Day, the geologist in charge of the mines and minerals department of the Government, the mineral products of the United States are a very considerable source of wealth to its inhabitants. The total value of the metallic products during the year 1887 was $250,419,283, made up as follows: Pig iron, $121,925,800; silver, $53,441,300; gold, $33,400,000; copper, $21,052,440; lead, $14,463,000; zinc, $4,782,300; quicksilver, $1,429,000; nickel, $133,000; aluminum, contained in alloy, $74,905; antimony, $15,500; platinum, $1,838;. The value of the non-metalic mineral production was $285,864,942, the principal of which were: Bituminous coal, $98,004,656; Pennsylvania anthracite, $84,551,181; building stone, $25,000,000; lime, $23,375,000; petroleum, $18,856,606; natural gas, $15,838,500; cement, $5,186,877; salt, $4,093,846; limestone for iron flux, $3,226,200; South Carolina phosphate rock, $1,836,818, zinc-white, $1,440,000; mineral waters, $1,261,473; borax, $550,000; gypsum, $425,000; magnanese ore, $333,844; mineral paints, $310,000; pyrites, $210,000; flint, $185,000; mica, $142,250, corundum, $108,000; sulphur, $100,000. precious stones, $88,600, gold quartz, souvenirs, jewellry, etc., $75,000; bromine, $61,717; chrome iron ore, $40,000; graphite, $34,000. Including metals, mineral substances and estimated value of unspecified mineral products, the total value of the products for the year was $542,284,225. The report is a volume of over 800 pages, the perusal of which would be particularly interesting to those who make mineral matters a study.

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S. DUCK,
Assessor and Collector.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.,
8th Dec., 1888. dec9

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S. DUCK,
dec22 Treasurer.

A BY-LAW

TO REGULATE THE ELECTION OF THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, FOR THE YEAR 1889.

WHEREAS it is provided by law that the nomination for Mayor and Aldermen shall be held on the second Monday in January of each year, from 12 m. to 2 p. m., and the polling, if any, on the Thursday following from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; and it is further provided, that the Council shall, in the month of December in each year, appoint a Returning Officer, and shall also name the polling places and otherwise arrange for the holding of the coming election; and it is further provided, that the polling, if any, at such election shall be had and taken at such place or places as the Council shall by By-Law appoint; therefore,

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The nomination of Candidates for the respective offices of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria, shall take place at the City Hall in the said City, on Monday the Fourteenth day of January, 1889.

2. In case a poll shall be demanded at the election of Mayor, the vote of the electors thereon shall be taken by ballot at the City Hall aforesaid, on Thursday the Seventeenth day of January aforesaid.

3. In case a poll shall be demanded at the election of Aldermen for any Ward, the vote of the electors thereon shall be taken by ballot on the day aforesaid at the respective places following, that is to say—In Johnson Street Ward at the City Hall aforesaid; in Yates Street Ward at Senator McDonald's building in Bastion Square, and in James Bay Ward at the Hook and Ladder House.

4. Sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the By-Law cited as the Municipal Elections Regulation and Ballot Act, 1875, and so much of the schedules thereto as are applicable shall be read with and form part of this By-Law.

5. William K. Bull is hereby appointed the Returning Officer at the said Election.

6. This By-Law may be cited as the "Municipal Election By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 19th day of December, A. D. 1888.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council, this 26th day of December, A. D. 1888.

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PROGRESS OF KAMLOOPS FROM 1884 TO 1888.

[Communicated.]

In answer to numerous inquiries, a few facts relative to the progress of Kamloops from 1884 to 1888 would no doubt prove of interest to many of your readers. A great deal has been written from time to time about the situation of Kamloops and its capabilities as a business centre. In each case graphic descriptions have been given of its position and environments. We will, therefore, not occupy space in repeating what has been already said. We will speak of Kamloops as we found it in 1884, and what we see around us as it is now. Your readers will then be in a position to form their own conclusions as to whether or not there is cause to say that a wonderful improvement has taken place, and they may see to whose influence the most credit is due for the progress it has made. In June, 1884, there were two hotels—the Cosmopolitan, late Thomas Spellman, proprietor, and the Dominion, Mr. Ed. Connall, proprietor—four general stores, Mr. J. A. Mara and the Hudson's Bay Co., Mr. J. Ogden Graham, manager. The other two were Chinese stores—Ah Loy and Hop Lee. Mr. J. A. Mara kept a general store, in which were offered for sale all the lines mentionable from a needle to a threshing machine. The Hudson's Bay Co. store was then situated about a quarter of a mile below the town. At that time the town contained five families, its industries being one general blacksmith shop, one cabinet maker, upholsterer and undertaker, one carpenter shop, one saddler and harness shop, two butcher shops, with the prospect of a shoemaker shop. The most important industry at that time and is now, the Lhuswap Milling Co., under the management of Mr. James McIntosh, giving employment to about 25 men. The estimated lumber capacity was then about 4,000 feet per day, the grist about 15 barrels. A small planer was attached, from which a limited amount of dressed lumber was procured. Attention was also given to pork-packing. Although for a number of years this company maintained their business without profit, the manager was sanguine that the day would come when their pluck and enterprise would receive its reward, and it did. Since then new machinery has replaced the old, new planers have been laid on, and the force increased, yet it has been found impossible to supply the demand.

The site on which the C. P. R. station is located is known as the new town. On our first visit potatoes were growing on the "Peterson Ranche," negotiations were about completed for its purchase by a company of gentlemen, of which Mr. J. A. Mara was the representative. At the completion of Major Rogers' labors in town, the railway line was found to have been laid through the main thoroughfare, and through this Peterson Ranche. Thenceforward the stream of immigration set in. Mr. Hagan, of the *Inland Sentinel*, made his appearance on the scene and the first number of that journal was published some time in August, 1884. Mr. J. A. Mara, on behalf of his company, offered the directors of the C. P. R. a plot of ground in their townsite, containing some sixty acres, as an inducement for that company to establish a station, workshops, etc., which was eventually accepted. During this time Mr. Cambie, C. E., had erected a fine dwelling house a little to the east of the proposed railway depot. It had by this time become generally known that Kamloops was to be made one of the many stations of the C. P. R. A steady increase of population was the result. There was an urgent demand for house room. Hotels were strained to their utmost. A building industry sprang up and caused a demand for lumber. Mr. W. R. McGaw started to build. The Colonial Hotel was got under way. The Kamloops Hotel followed. The Arlington Hotel sprang up next. J. B. Scuitto & Co. laid the foundation for their bakery. Kerr & Clarke, McGregor & Smith were up and doing. The McCartney Bros' drug store was in sight. Dr. S. J. Tunstall added to his residence and office. C. P. Miller & Co. started a tin shop. Mr. W. W. Spinks, barrister, laid the foundation of his residence and office. Mr. Park commenced the Park block. Smith, the shoemaker, built a residence and shop, and a number of Chinese buildings were erected at the end of 1884.

The spring of 1885 brought more new life. Four steam boats began plying between Savona's Ferry and Eagle Pass, making Kamloops the main centre. Business just boomed. Mr. Graham, Manager of the Hudson Bay Co.'s business, emerged from his seculusion and removed his store to the business portion of the town, and participated in the large transit traffic of that summer. Excavations were commenced for the erection of the C. P. R. buildings. Since then there has been a perpetual increase in business structures and residences, and consequently in population. To-day we number among our our business concerns and industries the following: J. A. Mara, Esq., M. P., and James McIntosh, Esq., J. A. Mara, Esq., since 1884, has doubled the size of his store, and has added three commodious warehouses to the two of that year. James McIntyre, Esq., manager of the Shuswap Milling Co., supplies milling material and breadstuff. The Waterworks Company, of which he is at the head, have pipes laid through the streets. Their source being from a reservoir filled by pumps from the mill. Hydrants for fire protection are placed along the streets together with taps, for the benefit of the general public. Hotels and residences pay a reasonable monthly rate for their supply.

The Hudson's Bay Co's. store contains a large stock of dry goods and groceries, with the monopoly of the wholesale liquor trade.

Mr. W. R. Magaw also has a well stocked store of a general line. He has also commodious warehouses for the reception of his goods. In addition to these Mr. Magaw has a finely equipped harness-shop, under the management of Mr. C. E. Davison.

Mr. R. E. Smith devotes himself to the sales of ladies' fineries.

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Mr. James Vair, plumber and tinsmith, carries a large stock of stoves and tinware, having a monopoly in this line he does a flourishing business. Mr. E. G. Prior's hardware store, managed by Mr. Morton, carries an immense stock. Mr. Thomas Roadley, the pioneer saddler and harness maker, has added a warehouse to his premises and keeps an assorted stock of stoves. Mr. J. E. Saucier, watchmaker and jeweller, displays as fine a stock as can be seen in any city. Mr. Vick, watchmaker, confines himself to the renovating of damaged watches. Mr. P. S. Renier, merchant tailor. Mr. Sinclair, in connection with his neatly arranged confectionery store, devotes his spare time to cleaning and repairing clothing. Mr. G. P. Raven, wagon maker and blacksmith. Mr. W. H. Smith, wagon maker. Mr. G. Rankin, blacksmith shop, are Knights of St. Crispin. John F. Smith, who for the last four or five years has exercised himself to reduce the sale of slop work. Mr L. Quinn followed closely in his wake and reduced the price of custom work, hence he still "holds the fort." Mr. D. McQuarrie, of Yale, joined the fraternity in the early part of this year. Mr. Alex. McLean, late of Toronto, signed the roll of the craft in July last as an active member, and has since been turning out a substantial class of work. The ladies support three dressmaking establishments—Mrs. Gavin, Mrs. Clyde, and the Misses Brown, all first-class dress and mantle-makers. Mrs. Morton keeps a beautiful assortment of ladies' goods. Messrs. Gordon Bros, cabinet makers', upholsterers' and undertakers' stock is complete. Mr. M. Gordon informed us that the undertaking is merely a title to their business, as he could easily take an extended tour between each death. Mr. J. S Smith, bakery, grocery and provisions. Mr. J. L. Brown, general store and men's furnishings, grocery and provisions. Mr. Brown also maintains an artist gallery, from which some fine photos have been produced. Mr. F. H. Robson & Lee, solely groceries, provisions and feed; Mr. Bentley, books and stationeries; Mr. N. Sylvester, soda water factory; Hill Bros., carpenters and contractors, whose mechanical abilities are recorded in a number of the fine buildings of which Kamloops boasts; Ross & McGilvory, carpenters and contractors; Messrs. McGregor & Son, likewise Mr. W. Simmons, are of the same profession; Messrs. Davis & Son, C. Lambert and C. Bacon represent the painting industry; Messrs. Archebold and F. A. McIntosh are each contracting firms for plastering and bricklaying; Mr. Scenck's tonsorial parlor is the model of neatness, as is that of Mr. Ed. Lebanc; Mr. Frank Crottie owns a finely-equipped livery stable; Mr. Thomas Hornby runs a feed store and general delivery wagon depot; Mr. Hugh McLeod is in the same business; two legal lights shine in our midst and clear away any cloud that may arise among the citizens, Messrs. W. W. Spinks and W. Cochrane, barristers; S. J. Tunstall, M. D., has for the last four years cheated the graveyard by his skill and successful practice; later on Dr. Clark cast his lot among us, but devotes the most of his time to the dispensing of drugs, Dr. Tunstall having the appointment as the C. P. R. Division physician. Dr. Furrer who has proved himself an acquisition to the city. The bunch-grass beef of which British Columbia boasts is supplied by Messrs. Hull & Trounce and James Woodland. Speaking of beef brings us to the Dominion Hotel, Mrs. P. Nelson, proprietress. This hotel, under the management of Mr. Alex Matheson, is thorough in all its appointments and ranks among the first on the mainland. The Cosmopolitan follows suit. Each of these maintain for the convenience of commercial travellers commodious sample rooms. The Colonial Hotel and the Kamloops Hotel are each well conducted houses. Mr. N. Sylvester, the Senate Oyster Saloon, supplies those who fail to keep hotel hours. Mr. John O'Brien confines himself to the dispensing of the choicest brands of wines liquors and cigars. The Arlington hotel and the C.P.R. hotel and the C.P.R. dining hall are all well known to the traveling public. The Grand Pacific hotel is kept by Squire Jones. These hotels are all fitted up with billiard and pool tables.

The religious zeal of the people shows itself in fine church buildings. The Roman Catholic church occupies an elevated position with its towering steeple. The Presbyterian body, through the indefatigable Rev. Mr. Chisholm, have erected a fine edifice. The Methodist church and parsonage are also completed. Workmen are now engaged in the erection of the Episcopal church. The one in which divine service has been held for the past four years is no longer in keeping with the progress of the town. Education has not been neglected. The public school roll calls for some 70 children, requiring the attention of two teachers.

The school of the Sisters of St. Ann has been recently opened here and now numbers some twenty young lady pupils. The branch of the Bank of British Columbia, Mr. Lee R. Barnes, agent, is a boon to the business men of the town. The Inland hospital, Dr. Furrer, attending physician, has also the service of a trained and practical nurse. Since the appointment of F. Hussy, Esq., as Government agent, these buildings have presented quite an animated appearance. The streets have also received his attention, marked improvements are visible on every side. He is no doubt the right man in the right place.

The Masonic Temple, recently completed, is a fine building. The Oddfellows have a neatly equipped lodge room on the second floor of the *Inland Sentinel* building. A temperance lodge, a well organized Caledonian society, a Pioneer society, a fire brigade and a proficient brass band under the leadership of Mr. Bornjeat, are all flourishing organizations.

The business enumerated comprise as follows: eight general stores, two grocery stores, one clothier, one dry goods, three tailors, three dressmakers, one milliner, four shoe makers, two watchmakers, one photographic gallery, two architects and C.E., one confectionary, two bakeries, two barbers, two blacksmith shops, two wagon maker's shops, one tinsmith and plumber, two drug stores, three physicians, one hardware, four carpenters and contractors, three plasterers, three painters, one saw and planing mill, two lawyers, two butcher shops, two restaurants, two livery stables and feed stores, seven hotels and one saloon. Four churches, two schools, one hospital, one bank, and one newspaper establishment.

It must be borne in mind that there has never been any attempt to boom Kamloops. Its growth has been gradual and sure. We often hear comments on the improvements around us, followed with the remark, "I don't see what is at the back of it, or what is to keep it up." The fact is, being one of the C. P. R. main stations and its peculiar situation makes Kamloops the natural distributing centre from which the surrounding country must draw its supplies. Its health-giving climate is another important factor in its prosperity. Notwithstanding that it is the repository of most of the invalids from the surrounding country, who seek Kamloops either to recuperate or to procure medical assistance. Its deaths from the 1st of January to the present, are nine in number, including persons brought here for treatment and infants. Against this we had for the same period twenty births. Twenty couples were married during the same period.

For the five families and one childless couple of 1884, we count now some sixty families and about thirty households in which there are no children. The fourteen buildings of that year have increased to about two hundred with 700 souls. Casting a glance back to what Kamloops was in 1884 and then taking in her present, we are forced to the conviction that it has only just fairly started. It may be safe to predict that before the next four years have passed over our heads, Kamloops will be found to have become an important city.

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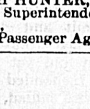

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SEASONABLE THANKS.

The promptness of the Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society in settling my loss by the recent fire on Fort St. deserves special mention and thanks, which I hereby tender. wishing the Society, through its genial representative, H. D. Helmcken, Jr., Esq., increased business and every prosperity that such commendable action merits.—W. HUMPHREYS. jan1

ELECTION CARDS.

REQUISITION

To Robert Ward, Esq., Victoria, B. C.

SIR:—We, the undersigned Ratepayers of Victoria, beg to request that you will allow your name to be placed in nomination for the position of Mayor of the City of Victoria for the year 1889.

The zeal you showed in a former Council in which you served, for the interests of the city, and the ability you have displayed in the prominent position you now occupy as President of the Board of Trade, besides your own large interests in the city, lead us to hope that you will be disposed to take a leading part in the several important matters which will, we trust, be undertaken by the incoming Council.

Should you accede to this request, we shall give you our hearty support.

Victoria, B. C., 11th December, 1888.

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Robt. Jamieson	Chas. Hayward
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J. Fullerton	H. A. S. Morley
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W. H. Bone	Alex. Clearihue
H. Young	R. Lettice
H. Brown	J. A. T. Caton
R. Erskine	Andrew Gray
Chas. E. Redfern	J. Bullen
Edward G. Prior	M. Baker
Richard Hall	R. Collister.
A. B. Erskine	

To the Ratepayers whose signatures are attached to the above:

GENTLEMEN,—Replying to the above Requisition, I have to thank you for the proffered honor of your support and influence to secure my election as Mayor for the ensuing year.

I fully realize the important functions devolving on that office, and if I can be of service in helping forward the good government of the city, I accept your nomination. Should it be the pleasure of the Ratepayers to elect me, I can assure them that my best efforts shall be devoted to guarding their interests, and in promoting generally the advancement of the city.

I shall doubtless be afforded an opportunity prior to the date of election, of publicly expressing my views on the various urgent matters which demand the attention of the incoming Council.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ROBERT WARD.

Victoria, B. C.,
15th December, 1888. dec16-td

—To the Ratepayers of—

JOHNSON ST. WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen—I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for the Board of Aldermen in your Ward. Having resided in the ward six years, and having all my interests there, I am confident of my ability to serve you satisfactorily.

dec19 JOSHUA HOLLAND.

JOHNSON ST. WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen.—The undersigned respectfully offers himself for re-election as Alderman for Johnson street Ward, trusting that his course in the Council has been such as to entitle him to a renewal of the confidence of the electors.

dec19td JOHN COUGHLAN.

For Alderman.

I beg to announce myself as a Candidate for Alderman to represent Johnson Street Ward, and respectfully ask for the support of the Electors.

L. GOODACRE.

Jan. 1, 1889. jan1

Municipal Notice!

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, on Monday, January 14th, A.D. 1889, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council, as Mayor and Aldermen.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows: The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality, as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Thursday, 17th January.

For Mayor, at the City Hall.

For Aldermen in Johnson Street Ward, at the City Hall aforesaid.

In Yates Street Ward, at Senator Macdonald's buildings in Bastion Square.

In James Bay Ward, at the Hook and Ladder House.

Of which every person is required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, this 2nd day of January, 1889.

W. K. BULL,
Returning Officer.

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NOTICE.—I HAVE PURCHASED THE Scavenger business lately carried on by Smilow and Dougherty. All orders may be left at J. C. Devlin's, Yates street; J. Finlayson's, Government street; or at G. Doughty's, Fort st. All orders promptly executed at the lowest possible price. aug24-tf J. DOUGHERTY.

RAILWAYS.

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TIME TABLE No. 9,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Saturday, Dec'ber 1st, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

STATIONS.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 5. Passenger Saturdays only.
VICTORIA	De 8.20 A.M	De 2.12 P.M		Ar 1.04 P.M	Ar 5.40 P.M	
RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	" 8.24	" 2.16		" 1.00	" 5.36	
ESQUIMALT	" 8.34	" 2.26		" 12.50	" 5.26	
GOLDSTREAM	" 9.01	" 2.51		" 12.23 P.M	" 5.01	
SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 9.56	" 3.46		" 11.28	" 4.06	
COBBLE HILL	" 10.08	" 3.56		" 11.16	" 3.56	
McPHERSON'S	" 10.25	" 4.11		" 10.59	" 3.41	
KOKSILAH	" 10.37	" 4.21		" 10.47	" 3.31	
DUNCAN'S	" 10.42	" 4.26		" 10.42	" 3.26	
SOMENOS	" 10.52	" 4.36		" 10.32	" 3.16	
CHEMAINUS	" 11.18	" 4.58		" 10.06	" 2.54	
NANAIMO	Ar 12.20 P.M / De 12.29	" 5.56	P.M. De 10.15	De 9.04 / Ar 8.55	" 1.56	P.M. Ar 6.55
WELLINGTON	Ar 12.44	Ar 6.11	Ar. 10.30	De 8.40 A.M	De 1.41	De 6.40

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Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the late Thomas Elwyn are requested to send particulars (properly certified) to the executors; and all persons indebted to the estate will please pay the amounts due forthwith.

HAMILTON MOFFATT, Executor.
sep29-6mo

NOTICES.

County Court of Victoria.

THIS COURT WILL SIT ON THE THIRD January, 1889, not for the hearing of any cases, but only to adjourn till 7th January, 1889. dec25

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CLAIMING EXEMPTION from Jury duty, under the Jurors' Act, 1883, are requested to send their names and grounds of exemption to the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of January, 1889.

J. C. PREVOST,
Registrar.

Victoria, 24th Dec., 1888. dec25

NOTICE.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-Governor has been pleased to make the following Rule of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation of the Supreme Court from Monday the 24th instant, until Saturday the 5th day of January, 1889, both dates inclusive.

During such period no pleadings shall be delivered or actions tried.

By Command,

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th December, 1888. dec21-td

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

20th December, 1888.

THE PUBLIC OFFICES OF THE PROvincial Government will be closed from Monday the 24th to Wednesday the 26th instant, inclusive, and on Tuesday the 1st, and Wednesday the 2nd proximo.

By Command,

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
dec21-td Deputy Provincial Secretary.

"JURORS' ACT, 1883,"

AND AMENDING ACTS.

To the Selectors of Jurors for Victoria District:

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO hold on the 7th day of January, A.D. 1889, a Special Sittings at the Court House, James Bay, City of Victoria, for the purpose of preparing, selecting, and having made up, the Jurors' Books, Rolls, and Lists, for Victoria District, for the year 1889, and for so doing let this be your warrant.

Given under my hand and seal, at the City of Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of December, A. D. 1888.

HUGH NELSON,
dec21-1w Lieutenant-Governor.

[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, etc., etc., etc.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twenty-first day of February, 1889, to have been commenced and held, and every of you, GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twenty-first day of February, 1889, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on THURSDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST day of the month of JANUARY, 1889, you meet Us in Our said Legislature of Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this twenty-seventh day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the fifty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication will be made to the Legislature of British Columbia, at its next sitting, for a Private Bill to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping and maintaining a Railway from a convenient point on the eastern boundary of the Province to the northern terminus of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway on Vancouver Island *via* Yellowhead Pass, Cariboo and Bute Inlet; with power to construct and maintain branch lines, to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines, to build and operate steam and other vessels, and generally to do all things conducive or incidental to the attainment of the above purposes or any of them; and for a grant of land in aid of the proposed enterprise.

CHARLES WILSON,
dec22 Solicitor for the Applicants.

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land in the Coast District, described as follows: From a stake marked E, on the south-east corner of the property occupied by the Inverness Cannery, thence north forty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south forty chains, thence west eight chains to the place of commencement.

J. A. CARTHEW.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 19, 1888. nov20

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land, described as follows; Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Telegraph Passage, about one and a half miles north of Moore's Cove, thence east forty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west forty chains more or less to Telegraph Passage, thence following the shore line in a northerly direction to the point of commencement.

J. A. CARTHEW.
Victoria, Nov. 19, 1888. nov20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land at Massett Spit, Graham Island, described as follows: commencing at a post marked 'C, thence north 120 chains, east 40 chains, south 120 chains, thence meandering the shore to place of commencement. Said land is fit for pastoral purposes only.

Oct. 21st, 1888. CHARLES HARRISON.
oc30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase a tract of land situate at the mouth of Woodbury Creek, on west shore of Kootenay Lake, B. C., described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake about 200 yards north of mouth of Woodbury Creek and at high water mark of Kootenay Lake, and runs thence 40 chains west, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to starting point, containing 160 acres.

FRANK L. FITCH.
Kootenay Lake, Oct. 29, 1888. nov21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Ching Way has, of his own accord, sold his share in the firm Quong on Lung & Co., to his partner Lee Coy. who now owns and manages the whole concern of the firm. Full payment of the share in question will be made to Ching Way on the 16th December, 1888; after which the firm, its assets, liabilities, and its whole concern, will not concern Ching Way in any way whatever.

QUONG ON LUNG & CO.,
dec8-1w New Westminster, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land at Virago Sound, Queen Charlotte's Islands, commencing at a stake marked A, thence north 40 chains, east 40 chains, south 40 chains, west 40 chains. Said land is fit for pastoral purposes only.

Oct. 21st, 1888. C. HARRISON.
oc30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Rupert District, and described as follows:—

Block No. 1.—Commencing at a point one mile due south of the S. E. corner of Section 14; thence S. 80 chains; thence W. 80 chains; thence N. 80 chains; thence E. 80 chains to the point of commencement; containing 640 acres.

Block No. 2.—Commencing at the N. W. corner of Block No. 1; thence S. 80 chains; thence W. 80 chains; thence N. 80 chains; thence E. 80 chains to the point of commencement; containing 640 acres.

JOSHUA DAVIES.
Victoria, November 27th, 1888. dec1-2mo

NOTICE OF PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next sitting, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing and operating a line of STREET RAILWAY in the Districts of Esquimalt, Victoria and Lake, connecting with the Street Railway system of the City of Victoria, on the following routes: Victoria to Cadboro and Oak Bays; Victoria to Esquimalt Town; Victoria to the Royal Oak Hotel in Lake District; Victoria to Craigflower Bridge; Victoria to the Gorge, and from thence by the Craigflower Road back to Victoria; and to such other point or points as may be deemed advisable. The said Street Railway line to run along the usual highways to the foregoing points.

Victoria, EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Dec. 18, 1888. Agents for the Applicants.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXISTing between the undersigned, known as the Rivers Inlet Canning Company, is dissolved by the retirement of Mr. Hart from the concern.

M. HART,
THOS. SHOTBOLT.
ROBT. DRANEY.

Witness:
THEO. DAVIE. dec11

In the Goods of Richard Carr, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THIS Estate are requested to forthwith pay the same to the undersigned, to whom all claims against the Estate must be sent.

November 29th, 1888.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
nov30-2w Solicitors for the Executor.

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TACOMA—VICTORIA ROUTE.

Daily except Saturday.	Daily except Sunday.
Lv Tacoma - 7:30 p.m	Lv Victoria - 11:00 a.m
Ar Seattle - 10:00 p.m	Ar Pt. Towns'd 2:30 p.m
(Change Boat.)	Lv Pt. Towns'd 3:00 p.m
Lv Seattle - 1:30 a.m	Ar Seattle - 6:30 p.m
Ar Pt. Towns'd 5:30 a.m	*(Change Boat.)*
Lv Pt. Towns'd 6:00 a.m	Lv Seattle - 6:45 p.m
Ar Victoria - 9:30 a.m	Ar Tacoma, - 9:15 p.m

TACOMA—SEATTLE ROUTE. Daily except Sundays

Leave Tacoma..	8:00 a.m..	3:00 p.m..	7:30 p.m
Arrive Seattle..	10:30 a.m..	5:30 p.m..	10:00 p.m
Leave Seattle..	1:30 a.m..	11:30 a.m..	6:45 p.m
Arrive Tacoma.	4:00 a.m..	2:00 p.m..	9.15 p.m

Sunday Schedule between Tacoma and Seattle.
(ONLY TWO TRIPS.)

Lv Tacoma for Seattle at 8:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m
Lv Seattle for Tacoma at 1:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m

OLYMPIA AND SEATTLE ROUTE.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Lv Seattle 1:30 a.m.	Lv Olympia 1:00 p.m.
Ar Tacoma 4:00 a.m.	Lv Steilacoom 3:00 p.m.
Lv Tacoma 7:30 a.m.	Ar Tacoma 4:30 p.m.
Lv Steilacoom 9:00 a.m.	Lv Tacoma 7:30 p.m.
Ar Olympia 11:00 a.m.	Ar Seattle 10:00 p.m.

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Time Table No. 10, Takes Effect Nov. 1st, 1888

BURRARD INLET ROUTE

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Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.

VANCOUVER TO VICTORIA,
Daily, except Monday, at 13:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. train.

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Monday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

FOR PLUMPER PASS,
Monday, at 13 o'clock.

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

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G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
Nov. 7th. jy25

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CHARLES DRINKWATER,
Secretary.
Montreal, Nov. 30, 1888. dec8

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DIED.

SMITH.—At Victoria Arm, on the 2nd instant, William Parnell, the beloved and only son of Wm. S. and S. A. Smith, aged 10 years and 8 months.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Saturday) at 1 o'clock, from the parents' residence, Craigflower Road, and from Christ Church Cathedral at 2 o'clock.

SANDWITH.—At the residence of Mr. Isaac Walsh, 99 Pembroke street, on the 4th inst., of pneumonia, Joseph Sandwith (late of San Juan Island), a native of Ireland, aged 31 years.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

A Million Girls Unwed.

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Board of Trade.

The regular quarterly meeting of the British Columbia Board of Trade was held yesterday afternoon, Mr. Thomas Earle presiding. Among the subjects discussed were the development of trade with Japan, the fishery regulations, and other important questions.

Miss Caroline Cohen Dead.

The news was received in the city yesterday of the sudden death at her home in Portland, Oregon, of Miss Caroline Cohen, daughter of Mr. H. M. Cohen, a former Victorian and a brother of Mr. Jas. Cohen. The deceased young lady was in her seventeenth year, and had many friends in Victoria.

First Presbyterian Church.

A special service will be preached by Rev. D. Fraser on Sunday morning next. Subject: Power of the Holy Spirit. The services at the First Presbyterian Church have been specially interesting for some time back, and the attendance has largely increased. It is expected that the subject of Sunday's discourse will be ably dealt with by Mr. Fraser, and will be appreciated by the hearers.

The Sorcerer.

The Victoria Amateur Opera Company having been unable to obtain the libretto of the opera "Erminie," have abandoned it for the present and resumed practice with Gilbert and Sullivan's opera "The Sorcerer," under the direction of Prof. McKiernan. A full rehearsal of The Sorcerer is called for Tuesday evening next, it being the intention of the society to present the old and yet ever popular opera in The Victoria in about six week's time.

Katie Putnam.

J. F. Berry, business manager for Katie Putnam, is in the city, and informs THE COLONIST that the charming little actress will return to Victoria on Monday, January 14th for one night, presenting Dickens' "Old Curiosity Shop." This will be Miss Putnam's farewell appearance on Puget Sound, and the last opportunity of our theatre-goers to see her in her great creation of "Little Nell" and of "The Marchioness," which are the same two characters in which she was first seen in Victoria.

Death of A. B. Cooke.

News was received yesterday of the death of Mr. A. B. Cooke in Portland. The deceased was well known in Victoria. He was married to a daughter of Mr. John Barry, and for some years was engaged in the drug business at the corner of Yates and Broad streets. He left the city, and after an absence of about six years returned and again engaged in the drug business on Government street with Mr. Blanchard. A few weeks ago he left for Portland, where he remained until his death occurred yesterday morning.

A Foolhardy Feat.

At Seattle, on Wednesday last, a balloonist named Van Tassel, risked his life in the presence of thousands of people by jumping from a balloon 7,000 feet in the air, and descending by means of a large parachute. The feat was accomplished in safety, although the daring man had a rather narrow escape, as when he first jumped from the balloon, his parachute refused to open, and he shot down towards the earth like a cannon ball. The umbrella, however, finally opened, and the rapidity of the descent was checked.

A Child's Funeral.

The remains of the late Edward Sehl, enclosed in a beautiful white casket, were placed in the grave yesterday afternoon, the pall-bearers being little lads of about the same age as the deceased child. Masters Louis McQuade, Benny Bently, Charlie Burnes, Eddie Gieger, Archie Smith, and Louis Madigan were the ones selected to perform this office for their departed little friend. White was substituted for the usual black trappings on the hearse, and the casket was covered with many beautiful snow-white blossoms.

Teachers' Institute.

The first session of the Westminster Teachers' Institute was held on Thursday morning in that city, at the high school building, H. M. Stramberg, M. A., in the chair. After disposing of some routine business, Mr. F. E. Morrison, teacher of the Langley school, read a paper on geography, making some good suggestions for the instruction of pupils in this branch. A discussion then took place in which a number of teachers took part. At the conclusion of the debate H. M. Stramberg, M. A., addressed the meeting at some length, showing the advantage that teachers could derive from an association such as the institute.

Westminster's Progress.

The *Columbian* publishes some valuable statistics regarding the business of Westminster during the past year, from which we learn that the grand total of building operations for the year 1888 were $250,600; grand total for 1887, $217,050. As near as can be ascertained by careful investigation, 175 dwelling houses and buildings have been erected during the past year. But although this number may appear large, it is asserted by those who are in a position to know that a large increase will be made over these figures during the present year. One architect alone has already received orders to prepare plans and specifications for $50,000 worth of buildings.

A Magnificent Jewel.

In the window of Messrs. Pennock & Clayton's establishment on Government street, may be seen one of the most magnificent society jewels ever shown in Victoria. It is the past master jewel, presented to Mr. W. W. Northcott on Thursday evening by the brethren of Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A.M. The jewel is mounted on pale blue ribbon, about six inches in length. The upper part, a raised gold ribbon, with the name of the lodge—Victoria-Columbia—in square letters of black enamel, is supported by two Corinthian pillars of solid gold, having at the top the two globes in different colored enamels. Beneath the globes is a fine gold network with two double rows of pomegranates set therein. Between the two pillars, at their base, is the checkered floor, in blue and white enamel, mounted on which is the square and compass and a solitare diamond star. The pendant from the bottom of the checkered floor, is a second gold ribbon, with "Lodge No. 1" engraved upon it, while beneath is the usual Mason's square in Tuscan gold, beautifully engraved and enamelled, and the 47th problem. On the reverse of the square is the inscription:—

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Incoming Passengers.

The following passengers are on board the Mexico for Victoria: Mr. Dorman and wife, Mrs. Gore, C. Sexsmith, Miss Bellamy, W. Vanhouton, A. R. Walker, T. S. Gore, Miss Wolfenden, T. Davie and wife, Mrs. W. Carleton, R. L. Pippey.

Funeral To-Day.

The funeral of the late William Parnell Smith, whose accidental death by drowning was announced yesterday, will take place this afternoon, leaving the residence, Craigflower road, at one o'clock, and Christ Church Cathedral at two. The deceased little lad was an only son, and his bereaved parents mourn his sudden death most keenly.

Diphtheria at Maple Ridge.

Dr. Fagan, physician in charge of the diphtheria patients at Maple Ridge, reports that all the children of five families and several adults are down with the disease. There has been three deaths since the disease broke out, but none since the doctor's arrival. Dr. Fagan complains of having a sore throat, and even hints that he too is down with the disease.

Delicately Sarcastic.

In the fullness of its feelings the Vancouver *World* sent the following New Year's greeting to its Winnipeg contemporaries:

VANCOUVER, Dec. 31, 1888.—*The World* staff greet their eastern brethren of the press. The weather here is beautifully fine. We might claim almost perpetual sunshine. The ladies are out in their figure and are using sunshades. Our staff are wearing bouquets of wild flowers plucked on the green sward. Happy New Year!

To which the Winnipeg *Free Press* replied as follows:

WINNIPEG, Jan. 1.—We are glad to hear the rain has let up. No bouquets for our staff, ice cream and beer. Straw hats everywhere; take something yourself.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

FOOTBALL.

The usual weekly practice will take place at Beacon Hill this afternoon. It is expected that the match to-day will be between the members of the Victoria football and Victoria lacrosse clubs. Every member should turn out at practice to-day, as the match with Westminster on Saturday next will try the mettle of the team.

The team to try conclusions with the Westminster boys will be picked on Monday night.

AQUATIC.

The news that O'Connor, now champion oarsman of America, intends visiting Victoria at an early date, has created a little ripple of excitement in sporting and athletic circles. The young Torontonian is an enthusiastic sportsman, and an athlete and a gentleman through and through. It is believed by all who have watched his career, that he is the coming champion of the world, and will bring back to Canada the laurels that Hanlan held so nobly and so long. In the event of his visiting Victoria in the near future, and there can be no question of his intention to do so, his visit should be recognized in some signal manner by his brother athletes of this city. A regatta, or athletic tournament, could very easily be arranged, if the first steps were taken without delay, and a reception of this nature would best please the energetic Toronto boy. The Victoria athletic club intend giving a second exhibition about the time of Mr. O'Connor's visit, and with a little outside help and finance, a very creditable entertainment could doubtless be arranged. A start should be made in the matter at once. Last year saw the Victoria rowing club formed, with a good working membership of good oarsmen. We have good water and good weather in the Queen City all the year round, and a first-class regatta could no doubt be arranged in time for O'Connor's visit.

CRICKET IN VICTORIA—1888.

More cricket was played in and about Victoria during the past season than in any previous year. Of foreign matches there were four; namely, out and home with Westminster and Vancouver. The former of these was beaten in the return match by an innings and 163, while the latter suffered defeat by 131 and 181 on the first innings each time. Of the 176 runs scored in the first match with Vancouver, Sinclair contributed 57 runs, and in the return he got 67 and Ransom 73. In the return with Westminster the chief scores were: Clinton with 88 and Coulthard with 72. The totals of 262 and 267 in these two return matches were among the highest of the year in Canada. Among the batsmen Sinclair and Clinton are conspicuous, with excellent averages. The principal scores of the former were 92, 68 (not out), 67, 63, 60, 58, 57, 54 (n. o.); of the latter 88, 67, 57 (n.o.), 57 (n.o.), 55 and 52. Ransom also had a good average, and among those who completed less than ten innings Coulthardt and H. J. Martin were very successful. Of the bowlers, the most work was done by Sinclair, Campbell, Pooley, Clinton and J. E. Martin—Campbell having the best average (and a wide for every six overs), but Sinclair being entitled to the credit of the best service. Eberts, who bowled but little, was destructive as of yore, while the figures of Goepel and Drake are also worthy of notice. On the whole, it may be said that Victoria in 1888 was very strong in batting; but that though fair bowlers were numerous enough to be a source of embarassment to captains, nobody was reasonably reliable with the ball, and one generally went into a match with the consciousness that it was a toss-up among at least half a dozen as to what pair should be expected to take wickets. Clinton's underhand deliveries, when backed by good fielding, were perhaps the most reliable bowling of the lot.

The subjoined figures are taken from all scores accessible to the writer; a selection of the batsmen who completed less than ten innings being added to those who played more, and all the bowlers who took as many as ten wickets being placed on record:—

BATTING AVERAGES.

	Innings.	Times not out.	Runs	Highest Innings.	Average.
J. W. Sinclair	27	3	791	92	32.9
H. Fiennes-Clinton	31	4	729	88	27
W. B. Ransom	12	1	166	73	15.1
B. H. T. Drake	23	4	231	44*	12.1
P. Æ. Irving	17	1	186	34	11.6
N. P. Snowden	19	1	187	33	10.3
E. A. Wyld	12	0	120	44	10
P. D. Goepel	23	2	202	41*	9.6
J. E. Martin	16	3	115	42	8
H. J. Campbell	29	1	246	27	8.7
C. E. Pooley	21	0	179	23	8.5
Dr. Fitzgerald, R.N.	11	0	87	21	7.9
W. A. Ward	18	0	126	22	7
F.J. Coulthardt	5	0	161	72	32.2
H. J. Martin	8	1	144	52	20.5
Lt. Hutchison, R.N.	9	0	103	27	11.4
A. Scroggs	7	3	45	25*	11.2
E. M. Boville	10	1	109	34	12.1

*Not out.

ANALYSIS OF BOWLING.

	Balls.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Average.	Wides.
H. J. Campbell	1003	76	266	57	4.66	31
D. M. Eberts	304	26	73	15	4.86	2
H. Fiennes-Clinton	394	12	208	40	5. 2	
P. D. Goepel	171	8	86	14	6.14	2
J. W. Sinclair	1511	70	575	92	6.18	3
J. E. Martin	556	25	222	35	6. 1	2
J. Fennelly	215	10	87	12	7.25	
B. H. T. Drake	320	15	147	20	7.35	
C. E. Pooley	1080	70	358	47	7.61	
H. J. Martin	329	12	138	17	8.11	
Lt. Sutton, R.N	190	3	99	12	8.25	
Lt. Hutchison, R.N	270	12	120	14	8.57	
E. M. Bovill	480	26	201	22	9.13	
C. A. Goffin	409	23	158	17	9.29	1
W. B. Ransom	224	5	114	10	11. 4	

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THE BLIND MUSICIAN.

First Appearance of the Great Violinist Heine, in The Victoria—A Wonderful Performance.

Seldom in the history of this city has so rich a muscal feast been enjoyed by British Columbians as that presented in The Victoria last evening by the great violinist Heine, and his talented wife and daughter. So much has been said of these great artists by the press of every land, that all who attended last evening's concert, came expecting a treat. Not only were they fully satisfied with hearing exquisite music exquisitely played, but every sense was enthralled by the mystic melodies of the violin, expressing every feeling of the human heart, with a power greater far than that of words. The violin in the hands of Heine, seemed to laugh aloud in very gladness, then murmur in soft plaintive melody, then sob, then weep, rise in the wild shrill shriek of defiance or the sharp cry of despair, or sink in the gasping fearful groan of death. The instrument seemed itself a thing of life—a part of the blind musician himself, who living in his own sweet realm of sound, has little, if aught, in common with the busy bustling world.

The opening numbers of the programme last evening was Gambert's "Cheerfulness," sung as a duett by Mrs. and Miss Heine, whose voices blended harmoniously to make their interpretation of the numbers as acceptable as it could well be. Mrs. Heine was next heard in Mendelssohn's Grand Rondo in B minor, a selection which displayed to good advantage her brilliancy as a pianiste. Roff's "Cavatina" was chosen by M. Heine as his first solo, followed by an original mazurka, which completely captivated his critical musical audience. They refused to be satisfied until the blind musician responded to their enthuiastic recall, with the "Chicken March" prefaced by one of Paganinni's fanciful compositions. The barnyard imitations in the march were the cause of hearty laughter, and for exact fidelity to nature, as well as musical beauty, could not be surpassed. A vocal solo by Miss Heine, who, though suffering from a severe cold, showed herself to be possessed of a very sweet voice, was followed by Heine's solo on a tin whistle, in which a medley of popular airs was introduced with original and very difficult and graceful variations. The audience refused to be satisfied until again and yet again the great musician had responded to their recall. The old favorite ballad, "Coming thro' the Rye," by Miss Heine, sung with unusual feeling and beauty, brought the first part of the delightful programme to a close.

Part Second was opened by Heine, with an original composition; the first part a cradle song; the second, a *rondo* from Concerto in D. In response to an *encore*, he gave "an Elegy," a composition so exquisite in its sadness and pathos that many eyes in the audience were dim with tears. The violin duet, "Nearer, my God, to Thee," by M. and Miss Heine, was another grandly beautiful number, while the imitation of the Sardian bagpipes, given as an *encore*, proved as enjoyable as it was unique. Heine's burlesque on Italian opera, and piano improvisation on three notes whistled by a gentleman in the audience, were both good, and the song "Home, Sweet Home," by Miss Heine, with violin accompaniment, brought to a close one of the grandest concerts ever given in Victoria. To-night the programme will be entirely new, and no doubt The Victoria will be crowded to the very doors.

TOWN TOPICS TERSELY TOLD.

Local and General Happenings Gathered Up and Presented in Readable Shape.

The remains of the late Thomas Thompson were interred yesterday afternoon.

The congregation of Christ church, Vancouver, will shortly erect a handsome new church.

The residence of Dr. McNaughton Jones, Bastion street, is resplendent in fresh paint.

Ed. Ferris, who leased a farm on Lulu Island some time back, is reported to have skipped across to the American shore.

The singing class in connection with the Pandora street Presbyterian church, resumed practice in the schoolroom last evening.

A special court will be held in the supreme court room on Monday next for the purpose of preparing the voters' lists for Victoria district for 1889.

The ship's company of H.M.S. Espiegle will give an entertainment in the Blue Ribbon Hall, Esquimalt, on Tuesday or Wednesday evening next.

Quong Ye Chung, a Chinese merchant at New Westminster, was robbed on Tuesday night of about $200 in cash and papers valued at $300 more.

For best value in Men's and Boy's clothing go to Gilmore & McCandless. Overcoats very cheap. GILMORE & McCANDLESS, Johnson street. Telephone call, 563. *tf

A case of malicious injury to property, which came up in the police court yesterday, was settled by the defendant paying all costs and making the damage good.

The members of the Salvation Army at Vancouver propose to erect a barracks on a piece of ground costing $1,600. The sum of $500 has already been paid on the lots.

The body of the late Charles Belas, whose strange disappearance was first chronicled in THE COLONIST, was found in the river at Comox on Sunday. The neck was broken and decomposition was far advanced.

The new Roman Catholic convent at Vancouver was formally opened yesterday morning, high mass being celebrated by Rev. Father Fay and a lecture delivered by Rev. Father McGuckin.

N. J. Baker, who last year was engaged in the sealing business as a hunter, and after the season closed went east, has returned to Victoria worth $63,000 in cash and considerable property in New York, bequeathed to him by a relative.

G. W. Bigger has opened a ladies' and gents' lunch parlor at 86 Government street, where a cup of good tea or coffee, with sandwich, cake or pie, can be obtained at small cost. The idea is a good one, and Mr. Bigger ought to be well patronized.

The following are announced as candidates for civic honors at Westminster: John Hendry, mayor; D. S. Curtis, J. G. Jaques, A. L. Ewen, Thos. Cunningham, E. S. Scoullar, W. B. Townsend, John Reid, J. A. Colbert and D. McPhaden, aldermen.

On Christmas Day a Frenchman working at Wellington went out hunting and failed to return. On New Year's Day his dog returned alone, and a search is now being instituted for the missing man, as it is feared some accident has befallen him.

MARINE.

Schooner Wanderer arrived from Nanaimo yesterday with coal for W. T. Drake.

The iron ship Doris Droderson, which has left Liverpool bound for Victoria, with a general cargo for Welch, Rithet & Co., may be expected here in about six weeks. Considerable interest is felt in the time she will make, as it is her first trip to this port.

Capt. Jones, of the steamer Muriel, contradicts the report that his vessel had been on the rocks. He says that during the past two months the Muriel has been constantly running in inside waters between Port Neville, Victoria, the Inlet, etc., and has never met with the slightest mishap.

CITY POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, P. M.)

William Barry pleaded not guilty to the charge of ill-treating a dog.

Mr. Yates said he appeared on behalf of the S.P.C.A.

His honor remarked that this was a prosecution by the police.

Mr. Yates said he could appear and watch the case on the society's behalf.

Edgar Whitcomb, sworn, said he was walking on the 30th December on Spring Ridge with the defendant; came along Chambers street from the house of C. E. King; did not see defendant carrying anything in his hand; saw a puppy about one hundred yards from Mr. Ellis' house on the hill; the dog was lying down whining; went over to the animal and defendant turned the dog over with his foot; the dog was whining, not yelping; a man came out from a house and asked if they had struck the dog and they replied "no, come out and see;" did not run down Johnson street, but walked home quickly to dinner on Quadra street; will swear defendant did not have anything in his hands.

His honor asked defendant several questions.

W. H. Ellis said he was the owner of the injured dog; between the time last saw dog at the door of the dining-room and when he heard it yelp loudly was about two minutes; rushed out bareheaded and saw defendant and last witness passing the gate; said "you have hurt my dog!" defendant said it had hurt itself; saw the dog had its leg broken and took it into the house; told my brother to follow the young men, while I telephoned the police; it was thirty feet from the corner of the fence where the dog was sitting holding up its wounded leg; it was about thirty seconds from the time I heard the dog yelp until I was at the gate.

To the court—Saw defendant with large bone in his hand; took it to be the jawbone of a cow; did not see the defendant strike the dog; the dog was a greyhound puppy, very playful.

To defendant—Did not see you strike the dog; did ask three young men where young Hepworth lived, but did not say he had struck the dog.

Dr. Blanchard stated he had examined the injured dog and found the left foreleg broken below the shoulder; there was a mark showing that it had been struck; injury might have been caused by bone produced.

Officer Levin deposed to finding bone a short distance from Mr. Ellis' house; summoned defendant from description given of him; defendant said when summoned: "I expected this; but its all right, I did not break the dog's leg"; there is nothing in the summons stating that the dog's leg was broken.

Abraham Ellis testified that he heard dog yelp and his brother talking to two men; in two minutes time had ran down to Johnson street and on to Cook but men were not to be seen.

His honor suggested a remand in order that the boys who had seen defendant running might be summoned.

Mr. Yates remarked that the evidence of the witness Whitcomb was full of inconsistencies.

His honor said that the case was one of wanton cruelty and not of over-driving, and if the boys could be produced it would strengthen the case.

It was accordingly adjourned until Tuesday, and defendant admitted to $150 bail.

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